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Serial No. 09/976,362) Examiner: Luu, Sy D.
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Title: METHODS FOR THE)
ELECTRONIC ANNOTATION,)
RETRIEVAL, AND USE OF)
ELECTRONIC IMAGES)

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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Please amend the above-captioned patent application as indicated below, and please reconsider the rejections set forth in the final Office Action of January 27, 2005 and the Advisory Action of April 21, 2005 in view of the following remarks.

A petition for extension and extension fee has been filed herewith to extend the response deadline one month, i.e., to May 27, 2005. Also filed herewith is a request for continued examination (RCE). If the petition is missing and/or the petition fee and RCE fee are missing or inadequate, please accept this paper as a petition for extension and charge the deficiency to our deposit account 50-0548, and notify the undersigned.

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